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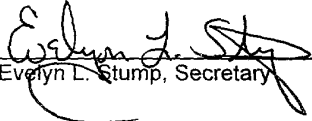
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Re: New U.S. Patent Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) – Martin Hettwer, et al.


METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR SUPPLYING A WASTE HEAT EXCHANGER
WITH EXHAUST GAS FROM A GAS TURBINE

Sir:

1. Please find enclosed herewith for filing: 8 Pages specification, 2 pages (10) claims, 1 page abstract and 1 page, 4 figures, drawings in support of the above identified application.
2. It is respectfully requested that this application be granted the priority date of 11. April 2000, the filing date of the corresponding German patent application 100 17 987.8. A certified copy of this patent application will be filed at a later date.
3. The official fees for this application will be submitted in a subsequent filing.

* It is respectfully requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response and any fees required or any ASSOCIATES shortages in any fees be charged to Deposit Account 02-1653.

Respectfully submitted,


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